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Council Meeting.

The Village Council met in regular session on Tuesday night, and it was the last meeting of the old council. Members Comly, James and Braddock retire; Bay, Stracke and Kleinmuth were candidates and were re-elected, and will serve another term. They have ground out a large grist of business in the past year, and they pass to retirement with the good will of the people generally. We measure the approval of the council's action in the past year by the fact that three of their number, that were candidates were re-elected and the Mayor as chairman, also being returned for a second term.

Mr. Henry Leach served his last meeting as clerk, and he has served well. Clerk-elect Cyrus Rochester assumes his office next Saturday, as do all the village officers.

Mayor Thurness made the following report of monies collected by him:

MAYOR'S REPORT
To the Council of the village of Logan, Ohio:

The following is a full statement of all fines and collections (except in state cases) received by me to December 28, 1909:

Fines	7 00
License	17 00
Scale money	38 00
Sewer taps	14 00
Boys' breaking crossings	1 50

Total.....77.50

Fines turned over to county in state cases.....11 60

Though this was the last meeting of the council, they did not drop down into the happy vein of lethargy, but jumped into work as vigorously as usual.

Mr. Comly introduced an ordinance to license plumbers which passed under suspended rules. It appears in another column of this paper, and provides a license fee of \$10.00 per year, and fine of \$25.00 to \$50.00 for violations.

The finance committee reported favorable on the following bills presented to them, which were ordered paid:

BILLS PASSED

J. Drollinger, steward fire dept	2 50
Chris Griner, labor	2 25
J. Wycoff, labor	2 25
Chas. Voris, street com	41 66
J. Rochester & Sons, supplies	2 30
J. T. Sanderson & Sons, harness supplies	3 50
W. H. Stange & Co., 14 90	
Work Bros, sundries	1 45
Chris Holl, plumbing	9 50
H. S. Vance, civil engineering	45 00
Jesse James, asst engineer	18 00
Tim Morarity, asst.	2 00
Henry Leach, city clerk	70
E. E. Campbell, health officer	50 00
A. L. Proctor, Inspector	22 00
H. L. Karshner, meals	80
Ringwald & Sons, estimate on sewer	800 00
Gus Shively, marshal, killing and burying dogs	5 50
Journal Gazette, pub. ordinances	62 70
DEMOCRAT SENTINEL, pub. ordinances	62 70
Chris Holl Hardware Co., plumbing	16 00
Logan Light & Power Co., moving lights and supplies	64 87
Geo. Holl, secretary fire dept.	10 00

Engineer Vance reported that he was having the "red book," or the book of grades and engineering of the town plat, transcribed.

Attorney Whitcraft reported that the village has a law suit on its hands with Mr. Roble, and asked that a stenographer be provided. It was so ordered.

The contract with Ringwald & Son for paving North Market street was to be completed December 28th, but because of the weather it was impossible to complete same by this time. The council ordered that the time be extended to May 1, 1910.

City Attorney Whitcraft reported that he had contracted with Mrs. McKinney for a right-of-way for sewer, and has the deed, and he was ordered to have same recorded.

After the business of the meeting was concluded, a few retiring speeches were indulged in. Councilmen Bay and Comly spoke of the harmony of the past year in council, and Mr. Bay with regret at the retirement of the three members. Mayor Thurness spoke of the business of the past two years, and several of the officials, city attorney, engineer and newspaper men spoke of the ups and downs of the past two years as servants of the city.

After the adjournment Mayor Thurness invited the council and newspaper men to his home to eat turkey.

Laurelville Entertainment.

The Sterling Jubilee Quartette will give an entertainment in Laurelville at Williamson's Hall, January 8, 1910. This colored quartette comes well recommended



THE STERLING JUBILEE QUARTETTE

as one of the greatest musical organizations in the country. It will be a pleasure and a delight for the people of West Hocking to hear this quartette. Their music will be a rare treat that we seldom have an opportunity to hear.

The unsolicited press notices that have praised this aggregation of singers, is convincing that their entertainment please wherever they go. The chart for reserved seat tickets will be opened on New Year's Day. Make your plans to go and hear these great singers.

First Christmas in the New M. E. Church

The Christmas time just passed, will long be remembered by a multitude of people old and young connected with the Methodist Episcopal church of Logan.

To begin with, the Sunday school entertainment on Christmas eve, was a most enjoyable occasion especially so far as the little ones were concerned. The large Sunday school auditorium was crowded to the doors. The committee on decoration had carefully and artfully done their work. Evergreens, bunting, ornaments and Christmas bells were beautifully and tastefully arranged, which was most pleasing to the eye and inspiring to look upon.

The program was pronounced by all as one of the highest class ever rendered by Sunday school children in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Worrel, Supt. and Mrs. Grady, Mrs. Frank Ackers, Misses Lulu Bright, Minnie Moore and Bertha Gano, as committee on program, have certainly richly earned the universal and hearty appreciation of the parents and entire congregation through their untiring zeal in so carefully and skillfully arranging the material for the program and in training the children. The children who had a part in the program, deserve a word of commendation; also they certainly acquitted themselves creditably and by their renditions of music, recitations and dialogues undoubtedly convinced the large audience that the school is endowed with more than ordinary intellectual and musical ability. This Sunday school has undoubtedly an inspiring future. But few Sunday schools have a more competent and substantial board of officers and teachers. This added to the splendid equipment of class rooms now about ready for use, ought very soon to bring the enrollment up to eight hundred or one thousand.

On Sunday morning the pastor preached from John 12-32 on the subject, "Jesus and the Elevation of the Raos of Mankind." In the evening at six o'clock, the love feast services were well attended and good fellowship and spirituality made the service a real blessing to all. At seven o'clock, Dr. J. C. Arbuckle preached one of his most powerful and convincing sermons. The communion service was very impressive and helpful.

On Monday night, the District Superintendent conducted the first Quarterly Conference for this conference year. A goodly number of the official board was present. The usual business was transacted. The reports from the various departments of the church were encouraging. The financial report made by the treasurer for the quarter, covering incidentals, salary, etc., was the greatest in the history of the church, showing all current expenses paid in full with over one hundred dollars in the treasury. Upon the whole, the Christmas time Quarterly Conference session was one of great encouragement to the congregation.

Contributed.

Charles Hellyer, Dead.

Charles Hellyer, an aged citizen of east Logan, died Sunday and the funeral was held Tuesday, Rev. Correll, officiating. Obituary will appear next week.

Merchants' Greetings.

STEDEN & CO.
New Year's Greeting to our patrons. STEDEN & CO.

OLIVER FURNITURE STORE
We wish our patrons a prosperous New Year. OLIVER & SON.

F. BLASIUS AND SON
Happy and prosperous New Year to all. F. BLASIUS & SON.

WORK BROS.
Thanks for past favors and hopeful for the future. Happy and prosperous New Year to all. WORK BROS.

WELLMAN & YORTZ.
New Years Greeting to all. Thanks for past favors, and hope we merit a share of the future business. WELLMAN & YORTZ.

F. S. CASE.
I wish to thank all patrons and friends for their liberal patronage the past year and wish all a prosperous New Year. F. S. CASE.

JOHN UCKER, MEAT MARKET.
Business in our line has been good in the past year. We thank the public for the share that has been apportioned to us, wishing all a prosperous New Year.

NOVELTY STORE
Our business has been very good the past year and we thank our friends for their liberal patronage, and wish all a happy and successful New Year.

E. L. KLEINSMITH, Prop.
CLARK, THE FURNITURE AND STOVE MAN.

I have had three times more business this year than last and am very proud of the success of my store. I wish my patrons and friends a happy and prosperous New Year. L. V. CLARK.

STIERS' SHOE STORE
I extend to my customers and friends my best wishes for a happy New Year and stand ready to make the New Year prosperous for them by giving them reliable footwear.

J. A. STIERS
JOHNSON BEVERAGE CO.

Good goods and right prices brings the business. We are doing a good business. Extend greeting to our liberal patrons and wish everybody everywhere a happy and prosperous New Year. JOHNSON BEVERAGE CO.

OPERA HOUSE DRUG STORE.
The past year has brought to us a full share of prosperity and we enjoy the confidence reposed in us. We thank the public for patronage and wish all a prosperous New Year.

OPERA HOUSE DRUG STORE.
ALLEN & WRIGHT.

We had a better business the past year than any year previous and wish to thank our customers for their liberal patronage, and hope a continuance in the future. We wish all a happy and prosperous New Year.

THE AVENUE GROCERY.
Several months ago we bought the avenue grocery of Mr. Kessler. We restocked the place and have built up a nice business, for which we are very grateful to our Logan friends. We wish all a happy and prosperous New Year.

TUCKER & STIFFLER
KLINE, THE SHOE MAN.

Our business has been far beyond our expectation. We are more than pleased and will continue to give the people better shoes for the money than they can buy elsewhere. That makes business. KLINE'S BIG SHOE STORE, 81 E. Main St., Logan.

THURNESS WRIGHT CO.
The goods and the prices talk, and we flatter ourselves that we have given the people the worth of their money in our deals the past year. We thank the public for liberal patronage and solicit a future continuance.

THURNESS WRIGHT.
HAMMOND ACKER.

To our patrons and friends we desire to express our appreciation of your kind patronage shown us during the past year, and trust our pleasant business relation may continue for many years to come. We have in the past and shall in the future conscientiously endeavor to furnish food product of the highest quality and purity, a line of goods you may depend upon as being the best that money can buy, trusting our business with you may always be pleasant and wishing you the compliments of the season, we remain yours for quality. HAMMOND ACKER.

KESSLER BROS.

We desire to extend sincere thanks to our customers for their liberal patronage during the past year and to extend our heartiest wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year. We trust that the pleasant relations existing between us will continue.

KESSLER BROS.
UNION CLOTHING CO.

We take this opportunity to thank our friends and patrons for the very liberal share of patronage given us by offering only merchandise of substantial worth and at lowest prices. During the coming season we hope to merit an increasing share of patronage. UNION CLOTHING CO., Tip-Toe Outfitters, Opera House Block, Logan, O.

COMLY & SON.
Our business in the past year has been very gratifying. We have enjoyed a liberal share of the grocery business of Logan and extend greeting to those who have given us their patronage. We try to keep our store up to the times, and handle only such goods as we can personally recommend. Wishing all a prosperous New Year.

Yours Truly,
COMLY & SON.

ROCHESTER LITTLE CO.
We pause, in the midst of our gigantic Red Tag Sale, to thank our patrons for past favors, and wish them a prosperous New Year. We look to a larger future in our business than the past. We will be in new quarters in the Rochester building, with more room and more goods, and will try to give the public better opportunities to be suited in selections.

ROCHESTER-LITTLE CO.
BROWN BROS.

We desire to thank our friends for their liberal patronage during the year about to close, which from a business point of view has been a very satisfactory one. It shall always be our highest aim to please all who trade with us, as we look to our satisfied customers to tell others and to make our business grow. With best wishes to all for a happy and prosperous New Year, we are

Sincerely Yours,
BROWN BROS.

HARDEN & CO.
A Happy New Year to all. We did not even have time last week to say "Merry Christmas," but trust you were merry just the same. We feel grateful to our loyal patrons and friends who have stood by us and walked with us to a goal in the furniture world that we are not ashamed of. As to our part of it, we have tried to practice our motto—"a square deal to all." When we started over 15 years ago, people were buying their goods in Columbus and Chicago. For the future, our motto will be the same, and if you ever feel that you did not get a "square deal," come and tell us and we will meet you at the door to make it right. Our aim is to still improve.

Thanking you for the past, and soliciting for the future, we are
Yours truly,
J. F. HARDEN & CO.

Death of Clara B. Riff.
On Monday of this week, December 27, at Gallipolis, occurred the death of Miss Clara B. Riff, at the age of 84 years. Her brother Mr. A. N. Riff went to Gallipolis and brought the remains to this city, Tuesday evening, and the funeral occurred from the St. John's Catholic church, Wednesday morning, Rev. Fr. Thos. Weiland, cousin of the deceased, officiating by special permission of Fr. Richards.

The deceased was afflicted with nervous trouble for some time, which sickness was of an epileptic nature, and it was the hope of the family, a few months ago, to give her advantage of the special treatment at the Gallipolis Hospital, in view of a possible final and permanent recovery. Their hopes were shattered, however, by her rapid decline and death.

Miss Clara had lived all her life at the homestead near Logan, where she was born, and she had many friends who regret her untimely demise.

CARD OF THANKS.
We thank the neighbors and friends for kindnesses during the sickness and death of our Clara. A. N. RIFF AND FAMILY; THERESA TILL.

AT THE AMBROSIO
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ayers and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White and family took advantage of the sumptuous turkey dinner served at the Ambrosio Hotel, Christmas Day.

Holiday Society.

Bridge Whist
Mrs. O. W. H. Wright will receive the Bridge Whist Club this evening.

Saturday Afternoon Whist
Mrs. Bell Hyson will be hostess to the Saturday afternoon Whist Club, this week.

Honoring Mrs. Threewit
Miss Mary Blasius will give a whist party, Saturday afternoon of this week, honoring Mrs. Ben Threewit, of Denver, Colorado, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Barbara Work.

Social Circle
Mrs. Charley Lutz was hostess for the Social Circle, Wednesday afternoon, and a Christmas grab bag was the feature of the meeting. Mrs. Lutz served a sumptuous two course collation to the club.

W. R. C.
The installation of officers of the W. R. C. will be held at the Macabee hall in the James Block, Saturday evening. Mrs. Charles Spelman, of Columbus, will be the installing officer. A full attendance of members is desired.

Big and Little Six
Mrs. Helen Bowen was hostess to the Big and Little Six Club, Tuesday evening. The hostess served a most pleasing supper at 5:30 o'clock. A grab bag was a jolly feature of the evening entertainment. Euchre was played and Miss Emma Floyd was the most successful contestant, and was presented with a half-dozen glasses.

Sled Ride
Mr. Joe Mount entertained a number of his lady and gentlemen friends, Tuesday night, by giving them a joy ride in a big sled. The party spent the evening most delightfully. Those favored with the ride were: Mr. Joe Mount, Misses Ethel and Lydia Kalkloesch, Mrs. Badgley, Mrs. Otto Donaldson, of Grove City, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wetherill, Miss Margaret Cook and Mr. Fred Allen.

Miller-Davis
Mr. Lehman Miller and Miss Dot Davis were married Thursday of last week by Rev. Wm. A. Hunter at the parsonage at Haydenville, they having driven there that day. The bride is the daughter of Surveyor James Davis and wife, her father having died some years ago. She has been a compositor in the Huis printery until the past several months. An amiable and pleasant girl, that has a host of friends in Logan. Mr. Miller is an employee of the H. V. Car Shops, a son of E. W. Miller, formerly of Lima, Ohio. After a sojourn among friends in Zanabville, Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home in Logan. The DEMOCRAT SENTINEL extends congratulations.

City Officials Banqueted.
After council meeting Tuesday night the city fathers, city officials and newspaper men were escorted by Mayor D. V. Thurness to his residence on Front street, and there some twenty stalwart men sat down to an elegant four-course turkey supper, to which all did ample justice. The mayor extended the courtesies of his home in honor of the pleasures of the past two years in the harmonious work done by the council and city officials, some of whom now retire from office. A rousing vote of appreciation was extended him and his excellent wife for the pleasant entertainment.

The supper was most superb, and Mrs. Thurness was assisted in serving by her daughter, Miss Grace and Miss Dora Eichor.

W. H. M. S.
The Women's Home Missionary Society met with Mrs. Warren Lanning Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 28. The attendance was very good, there being thirteen present and four visiting ladies. The first number of the program was the national song "America" sung by all present. Prayer was offered by Mrs. J. A. Stiers. Treasurer Mrs. F. S. Case read her report showing the financial condition of the society exchequer. Miss Gladys Lloyd, of Columbus, favored the presence with a delightful piano solo, and Mrs. Rug Hansel sang "Star of the East," accompanied by Miss Lloyd on the piano, and Master Gerald Lanning on the violin.

The hostess served most pleasing refreshments, assisted by Mrs. E. B. Comly, Mrs. Otis Sowers and Mrs. Joe Lane. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. C. L. Correll at the parsonage home, January 25.

Jolly Dozen

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Will Deishley had the Christmas meeting of the Jolly Dozen Club. Three tables of players contested for the prizes, Miss Racine Brown was recipient of a handsome hand painted plate; the consolation prize went to Mrs. Charles Lappen, a box of candy. An enjoyable feature of the session was a Christmas grab bag. The hostess served a two course lunch.

Jollity Club
Mrs. John Pettit was hostess to the Jollity Club, Wednesday evening. A cake contest was one of the joyous features of the afternoon. Mrs. Dick Phelps won first prize, a hand painted plate, Mrs. Stracke and Mrs. Shirner, second and third prizes, each being presented with pretty towels. The club also enjoyed a grab bag. Mrs. Lester Nutter, of Cincinnati, was a guest of the club. The hostess served a sumptuous two course supper.

Thimble and Art
On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. W. F. Eisale was hostess to the Thimble and Art club. During the afternoon an exchange of Christmas gifts was had, and a very delightful greeting read from Mrs. B. C. McManigal, who is spending the winter in California.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. McLain and Mrs. Hiett, served an elegant two course six o'clock turkey dinner. The guests of the club were Mrs. C. F. Applin, Mrs. F. S. Case, Mrs. W. H. White, Mrs. Will Kessler, Mrs. Charles McLain, Mrs. Hiett, Mrs. I. J. Lindley, Miss Minerva White and Mrs. Ben Threewit, of Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. M. A. Cook Entertains
On Saturday, December 25 a number of relatives gathered in to spend Christmas at home with Mrs. Mehalah Cook. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Corn and children of Nelsonville, Mr. and Mrs. Mari Burberry and baby Clarabell, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Iles and family and Mr. and Mrs. Will Wetherill, together with those at home numbering twenty in all. A Christmas tree in the morning with presents for all was very much enjoyed with a sumptuous turkey dinner at noon. In the afternoon, a grab-bag arranged by Mrs. Merle Burberry as a surprise caused a great deal of merriment, little Miss Gertrude Corn of Nelsonville receiving the big prize. The children also enjoyed an hour and a half at the Logan skating rink. After a pleasant day all returned to their homes.

SOME CHRISTMAS DINNERS.
JOHN PETTIT

Mr. and Mrs. John Pettit entertained Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kalkloesch and family.

AT LEONARD WEAVER'S
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Weaver served Christmas dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Josh Brown and family, Mr. Henry Hansel and Miss Cecil Miller.

MR. AND MRS. SAM SMITH
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sparks of Lancaster, were entertained at a six o'clock Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smith.

YERGES HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Yerges, on Glenview, were host and hostess to Mr. J. M. Dollison and daughter Kathryn, of Fairmont, W. Va., for Christmas dinner.

MR. AND MRS. BRANDT RECEIVE
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brandt entertained for Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Azariah Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rowles of Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keller and Mr. Walter Nixon.

AMBROSIO-BLASIUS DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ambrosio entertained at dinner, Christmas, at the private dining room of the Ambrosio Hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blasius and family, Misses Mary and Helen Blasius and Fr. Richards.

MR. AND MRS. LEW M'GILL
Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Hansley and daughter, Carrie Jannette, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hansley and sons Lawrence and Walter took their Xmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McGill.

GEORGE BLOSSER
On Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. George Blosser, at their home on Glenview Heights, entertained the following persons: Mrs. Leah Blosser, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dupler and family, Mrs. Luke Lehman, daughter Daisy and Mr. Harry Blosser, of Columbus, Walter and Mabel Blosser, at home.

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT EBY'S

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Eby entertained the following members of their family for Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Collins and daughter Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Tolbert and children of Lancaster and Mr. Buel Eby.

XMAS DINNER AT JOHN WELLMAN'S
Mr. and Mrs. John Wellman were host and hostess for Christmas dinner to Dr. B. C. McManigal, Miss Jessie McManigal, Dr. and Mrs. Hoffbine and Mr. Willis McManigal, of Columbus. In the evening the household and guests enjoyed a Christmas grab bag.

MR. AND MRS. HARDEN ENTERTAIN
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harden had for their guests for Christmas dinner: H. W. Harden and family, Mrs. L. Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Hixenbaugh, of New Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. James Creman, of Logan, and Mrs. Mary Harden and daughters Misses Fay and Vale, of Stoutsville.

THE M'BRIDE DINNER
Besides their own household, Mrs. S. E. McBride and daughters had as their guests for Christmas dinner, Mrs. A. J. Ward, her son John Ward, and daughters Helen, Sue, Mary and Julien, of New Lexington, Mrs. Alex McMullin and daughter Eleanor, of Columbus, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McBride, of Logan.

UCKER FAMILY
The family of Mr. and Mrs. John Ucker Sr. got together at the home of the "old folks" and had a rousing big dinner Christmas. There were twenty-one persons present: Mr. and Mrs. John Ucker Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Ucker Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Burke and family, of Straitsville, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eberst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ucker and little boy and Miss Clara Ucker, of Columbus.

AT T. W. ROCHESTER'S
On Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Rochester entertained their family to a six o'clock dinner. Twenty-two persons were present and enjoyed the festivities. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Rochester and daughters Olivia, Robin and Ella at home, there were present: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rochester and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rochester and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dill Sanderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Rochester and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cy Rochester and family. A happy feature of the evening was a spider-web grab bag.

A Card
The pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Logan finds himself under many and real obligations to his friends and members of the official board and congregation for the numerous and substantial demonstrations of their regards, their sympathy and their fellowship. Almost everytime the door bell has rung for some time, something has happened at the parsonage. About the first intimation that the pastor had that Christmas was coming, the bell rang, and upon answering the call, there stood a little girl with a basket filled with spare ribs and sausage. Then a good brother brought some more of the same good old corn-fed, home-grown sort, the kind that makes your mouth water and that calls for buckwheat cakes. Just imagine a Methodist preacher living on spare ribs, sausage and buckwheat cakes. Well, we confess it has not always been that way; but it happened that way at the parsonage in Logan this year, and we are living in happiness. Then the door bell rang every once in a while, but the day before Christmas—well, the pastor was out most all day, but the mistress of the house had her hands full; this little thing and that little token, and the longer the larger, until finally a brand new tailor-made suit of clothes, then an overcoat and now—well, the pastor has two coats and he is somewhat embarrassed; the other fellow who has none might come this way, then, what! Well, it is all very inspiring and delightful to say the least.

"To bloom like a rose:
Strew flowers o'er our rugged path.
Four sunshine o'er our woes.

"My friends now come to me unmerited; the great God gave them to me."

In this public way, the pastor desires to return the sincere expression of gratitude and heartfelt appreciation, both of himself and family to the many friends so kindly generous. Extending to all the compliments of the year, I am faithfully the servant of all for Jesus sake,
W. C. L. CORRELL.